

YWCA Elects Four; Plans Fall Program

Four new members were elected to the Torrance YWCA Branch Committee on Administration to fill existing vacancies at the first fall meeting presided over by Mrs. Minnie B. Solomon, chairman.

New chairman and Mesdames Mervyn Porter, house; Walter Levy, membership; Walter Silence, remembrance and Warren W. Hamilton.

All committee chairmen will hold a special meeting at 7:30 p. m. this Tuesday, Sept. 16, at the Torrance YWCA building to choose committee members for the coming year.

With the new members, Torrance Branch now has 20 members, including 143 electors, Mrs. Levy reported.

As climax to the label-saving project in which the groups have participated for the past two years, Torrance and Wilmington YWCA's will sponsor a television party to the show "Women Are Wonderful" on Monday, Sept. 29.

"This is open to the entire community and tickets may be obtained at the YWCA," said Mrs. L. A. McCoy, ways and means chairman.

Mrs. W. C. Boswell, junior coordinator of the local Junior Women's Club, will assist on the program.

Money-making project slated for Oct. 17 is a rummage sale. "Anyone having rummage who is unable to bring it to the Y building may call Torrance 1534 and it will be picked up," Mrs. McCoy said.

World Fellowship Week will be observed by the local Y Nov. 9 through 15. "For over 50 years YWCA's have observed the occasion, a time when members rededicate themselves to the ideals of the Association," said Mrs. Phelan Foley, chairman of the World Fellowship committee.

Finance committee work in setting up the Association budget was explained by Mrs. Lee Stamps, chairman. Before a budget can be prepared, she said, each committee chairman must submit a tentative budget for her group.

The Y is dependent on the Community Chest for funds, she said, and urged each member to assume full responsibility for obtaining funds by participating in the coming Chest drive.

DANCE INSTRUCTORS RETURN FROM TRIP TO SOUTH AMERICA

Martha Jane Rickard and Edward T. Rickard, instructors at the Three Arts Dance Studio in Torrance, have just returned from a two-month trip to South America, where they visited and studied dancing on several islands.

Four took them to St. Kitts, Antigua, Montserrat, Dominica, Barbados, Grenada, Tobago, Trinidad, Georgetown, British Guiana, and South American islands.

"In all the West Indies group of islands, and in Northern South America, the calypso rhythms are the most popular dances," Rickard said. "Dancing to the rhythms of steel bands who play on instruments made of oil drums and other metal containers also is very popular," he said.

New Treatment For Arthritis And Muscle Pain

TORRANCE — If you have been suffering for years from arthritis and muscle pain, do not despair. Dr. Larson's new application of the latest in scientific therapy is promising new hope for relief of the crippling tortures of arthritis and rheumatic conditions. You are invited to come in for a complete examination to discover the true cause of your condition. Price for this examination is only \$3.00. Phone Torrance 2130 before coming to offices of Dr. E. A. Larson, D. C., Ph. C., 1110 Sartoff Avenue, Torrance (three doors north of Torrance Blvd.).

MISS BOBBIE FITZGIBBON, LLEWELLYN PHILLIPS, JR. HAVE RAINBOW WEDDING

Rainbow shades of green, yellow, and orchid highlighted last Sunday wedding of Miss Bobbie Fitzgibbon to Llewellyn Phillips Jr.

The couple were wed at 4 o'clock ceremonies in the Wayside Chapel, Lomita. After receiving congratulations of 350 guests at a reception held in the church social hall, the new Mr. and Mrs. left on a honeymoon journey to Crestline.

Upon their return they will make their home in Wilmington.

Miss Fitzgibbon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgibbon, 622 Fries Ave., chose a white satin gown with net overskirt and lace bodice fashioned with long sleeves and a bolero featuring a Peter Pan collar. She carried a white carnation bouquet centered with a single white orchid.

James W. Fitzgibbon gave his sister in marriage.

Mrs. W. F. Peason, sister of the bride, was her matron of honor. She was gown in green taffeta with net overskirt and lace bodice and carried a yellow carnation bouquet.

Bridesmaids Peggy Harris and Jeanne Dane wore yellow and orchid, respectively, styled like the matron of honor's gown. They carried matching bouquets.

The groom's brother, Gary Phillips, was his best man, and Jim Goslin and Barney Henderson seated guests.

Prior to the ceremony, Winifred Leavill sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride is a graduate of Torrance High School, while the groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Phillips, 2770 Pacific Coast Hwy., Lomita, is a graduate of Narbonne High School.

Carson PTA Meets Thurs.

"Let's Get Acquainted" will be the theme of first general meeting of Carson Street School Parent Teacher Association, which was decided at an executive board meeting held at the school Friday morning, Sept. 12.

Association meet will begin Thursday, Sept. 18, at 2:30 p.m. at the school. Board members will be refreshed hostesses.

New chairmen, Mesdames Donald Reed, hospitality; Carlton Johnston, magazine; and William Carey, welfare, were notified at the Friday session. Plans also were made for a Kidnap Breakfast to be held later this month.

Group project for the coming year will be planning games for all grades and rooms during rainy day sessions.

Board members attending Friday were Mesdames Alfred Barkan, Jack Spence, Robert Minchow, June Lewis, Melvin Jones, Johnston, Howard Salvetter, James Luten, Russell Gilbert, Elmer Lancaster, Clarence Wittenberg, Reed, Charles Linn, Carey, Roy Carter, and Wallace Holman.

COUNCIL PTA REVEALS FIRST OPEN MEET DATE

First of three open Torrance Council PTA meetings will be held Wednesday, Sept. 24, at the Episcopal Church Hall, it was decided at a meeting of the group Tuesday, Sept. 9.

Mrs. Daniel J. Daley, home service chairman of California Congress of Parents and Teachers, will be guest speaker.

Mrs. Ralph McBea, first vice-president, presided at the Tuesday meet in the absence of Mrs. Victor Benard, president. Dr. J. H. Hull, guest speaker, gave a brief review of the annual report of Torrance Unified District.

Copies of the report were distributed to council members and Dr. Hull requested that these be shared with others in the community that they might become acquainted with accomplishments and problems of the district.

Each unit in Torrance Council should appoint a representative to attend the monthly TEAC meeting, suggested a letter from Judge John A. Shidler, Board of Education president. Such representation, he said, would help the school to be responsible to community needs.

Detailed report on the Torrance Dental Health Association was given by Mrs. McBea. Both Mrs. McBea and Mrs. Hartley Carr, members of the dental board, urged the PTA to continue its financial and moral support to the association.

Mrs. Benard was elected to serve as representative from Torrance Council PTA on the executive board of the Dental Association.

District workshops for local unit chairmen will be held in San Gabriel and Glendale on Sept. 29 and 30, respectively. Mrs. A. C. Turner, parliamentarian, announced. All unit chairmen are requested to attend on one of these days.

Local Area Women Fete Republicans

More than 300 Los Angeles area women gathered at the Pacific Coast Club in Long Beach Saturday afternoon for a tea honoring Charles Edward Chapel, Assemblyman from the 46th District.

Hostess for the 2 to 5 p. m. event was Mrs. Dorothy Messner Young of Inglewood.

Robert H. Finch of Inglewood, Republican candidate for Congress from the 17th Congressional District, and E. Charles Ford of Los Angeles, Republican candidate for the Assembly from the 67th District, were other honored guests.

Mesdames Finch and Ford assisted Mrs. Young in receiving guests.

Assisting at table, pouring tea and coffee, were Mesdames Ronald Deardon of Palos Verdes Estates; Robert E. Cecil and James S. Gallagher of Manhattan Beach; Carl A. Ledell, John T. Hales, and Savo Stoshich of Hermosa Beach; Joseph G. Moodie and Clayton Thomas of Redondo Beach; Walt A. Steiger, Charles E. Shoberg, and Arthur W. Coffman of Westchester; and Carl G. Nelson and Herbert K. Smith of Inglewood.

FISH FRY ENJOYED BY LOCAL SORORITY

Most members of Tau Delta Omega, Beta Chapter, and their families enjoyed a fish fry at Torrance Park.

Plans for the affair were made at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Mary Ellen DeVore. Following the business session, members played cards with Mesdames Carlene Walker and Helen Smith taking home prizes.

Refreshments were served.

GEORGE BRADFORDS ARE DINNER HOSTS

Scenes of Big Bear, the desert, and Ensenada added a vacation touch to the dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford, 1323 Beech Ave., in their home Saturday night of last week.

Following the dinner, served in patio setting by candlelight from yellow tapers set in green bottles, Irving Cox showed colored slides of the scenic spots visited on a recent vacation.

Guests at the affair were friends from Long Beach, Messrs. and Mesdames Don Mowry, Vernon Covert, Charles Crossman, and Cox; and Mrs. Bradford's sister and husband from Whittier, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Bourdeau.

ENROLL NOW!

Witness the latest distaff hobby—making lovely flowers and corsages from re-dyed old nylon stockings! The ladies are using the gay floral beauties as hair adornments (above), boutonnières, wardrobe decorations and low-vase arrangements.

Photos at left show main steps recommended by Tintex Home Economics Bureau. Top panel shows hose being tinted over strand of small twines, Susie and Sandy, are soft and squishy to fit into small to form flower. With waxed crochet cotton for center, petals are tied at base with wire. Green floral tape covers exposed wire for stem. A free leaflet of instructions is obtainable from Tintex Bureau, 485 Fifth Ave., New York 17, N. Y.

Welfare Group, Harbor Area, Decides Duties

Planning, policy making, coordinating services, setting standards, and doing research are functions of the Harbor Welfare Council, according to a recent panel held by leaders of welfare groups.

Participating in the discussion were Caroline Porter, director of the Homer Toberman Settlement House; Edgar Green, director of Harbor Area Boy Scouts; Evelyn Sullivan, principal, Fries Ave. School; and Floyd White, Harbor area director of the Welfare Federation of Los Angeles.

Gertrude Withers, of the Veterans Administration was panel moderator.

Council cited group meetings within the neighborhood, youth agencies, schools and news-papers as points in a better understanding of different races, colors, and creeds.

Local level planning is necessary, the group decided, but not separate from the needs of surrounding areas. Division of responsibilities among various groups, adults, children, families, and others would increase speed and efficiency of service.

At the close of the discussion, Mary Pollock, recording secretary, was given a letter of thanks and praise for work she has done for the council during the past five years.

ST. CATHERINE'S COURT CONTINUES STLYE SHOW PLANS; TICKET ON SALE

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Fiesteradores Slate First Fall Dance

First dance of the forthcoming season will be held Saturday night, Sept. 20, by Los Fiesteradores dance club. Ball site will be the Portuguese Bend Club House.

Fall affair is semi-formal, with members of the board of directors acting as hosts.

Board members are Messrs. and Mesdames C. H. Ragsdale, R. B. Trezise, A. Posner, G. E. Johnson, and Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Easley.

HAROLD MOONS VISIT UTAH, NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moon, 1024 Arlington Ave., returned this week from a two-week visit in Salt Lake City, Utah, and Albuquerque, N. M.

Barbara and Jerry Miller, grandchildren of the Moons, were returned to their home in Albuquerque after spending the summer in Torrance.

HOLIDAY AT LAS VEGAS

Spending a recent holiday at Wilbur Clark's Desert Inn in Las Vegas, Nev., were Mr. and Mrs. Sal Levine, of 2367 Maricopa Pl. The Torrance couple enjoyed lounging in the Country Club patio and swimming at the hotel pool.

Knitting Class Will Be Given Here This Fall

Two free knitting classes will be offered this fall by the adult education division of Torrance schools.

Evening class will be held every Tuesday starting Sept. 22 from 6:30 to 9:30 in room 110 of Torrance High School. Miss Phyllis Henderson, who has had many years experience in the art needle work department of a large department store, will be the instructor.

Wednesday afternoon knitting class will be held at the Baptist Church, Carson St. at Manuel Ave., from 1 to 4, with Miss Florence Hoyle in charge.

Course will include instruction in all fundamentals of knitting, and students may learn to make garments of all types, and for any member of the family, including infants' wear, school sweaters, men's cardigans, ladies' dresses and suits, slip-overs and socks.

Special group instruction will be given in pattern designing and charting with fashion notes on new fall styles in knitted wear.

Students will be advised on their first attendance at the class about suggested materials necessary for their work.

SCHOOL TRAINS

Three traveling school cars, run by the railroads, carry classroom lessons to children in remote Canada areas snowbound many months of the year.

'I'm American Now' Says Mrs. R. E. Rhoades

A proud new American citizen is Mrs. Resi Rhoades, 24607 Madison St.

Mrs. Rhoades, a native of Regensburg, Germany, received her citizenship papers on Aug. 22, and "I'm proud to have them," she said.

At present the new American is making her home with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Edna Rhoades, before she receives official permission to join her husband, Master Sergeant Robert E. Rhoades, in Kyushu, Japan.

Mrs. Rhoades first came to this country in Dec. 21, 1948, and has made her home in Torrance for the past two and a half years.

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Nylons Get New Look

Well looker here!

That old pair of nylons is now showing up as a corsage to decorate hats and dresses, as an adornment for the hair, as a striking arrangement in a low vase, as a boutonniere, or as a gift-package decoration.

Any resemblance to sleek, sheer legwear is gone with the wind as the latest fashion ad. flowers made from re-dyed old nylon stockings is sweeping the nation.

It all began when a few beauty-conscious and budget-minded women discovered an easy way to make floral beauties from discarded nylons.

Then home demonstration agents became interested and were soon passing along the technique to groups of club women and home-makers.

Now the Tintex Home Economics Bureau is giving added impetus to the hobby with a free leaflet of instructions.

Needed are discarded nylons, a few boxes of color remover and all-fabric dye, porcelain or agate pans and a wooden spoon for the color-removing and dyeing operations, ordinary copper screening floral tape, scissors, and corsage pins.

First step is to take out most of the color from the nylons with a color-remover that requires no boiling. Then dye the stockings in selected colors, using some green for leaves.

After dyeing, cut out the stockings into three-to-five-inch squares. From copper screening, unravel eight-inch

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